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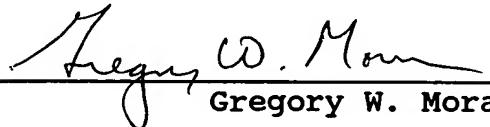
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**Re: Filing of 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) Nonprovisional Patent Application  
And Related Materials**

Dear Sir:

Please care for the filing of the attached 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) nonprovisional patent application, and related materials, for a Lottery Methods And Apparatus Invention invented by Mr. Michael L. O'Donnell, et al.

The attached application and related materials comprise:

1. Request And Certification For Nonpublication Under 35 U.S.C. §122(b) and 37 C.F.R. §1.213, 3 pages, dated March 29, 2004.
2. Specification - 42 pages, including 64 claims.
3. Formal Drawings - 1 sheet, including Fig. 1.

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4. A Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition of the inventors, Mr. Michael L. O'Donnell, Mr. Jonathan E. Peterson and Mr. Paul F. Bugni, 3 pages, dated March 29, 2004.
5. Michael L. O'Donnell's check No. 7551 for \$824.00 for the filing fee. Kindly charge any needed fees that are not covered by the enclosed check to the undersigned attorney's deposit account number 13-4400.
6. Assertion Of Entitlement To Small Entity Status By A Small Business Concern (Interstate Lotto Corp.) Under 37 C.F.R. §1.27(A) And §1.27(C), 5 pages, dated March 29, 2004.
7. Return Postcard.

Attorney's Customer Number. The undersigned attorney's customer number to be associated with the present U.S. National Stage filing is 22445.

Correspondence address. As set forth in the enclosed Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition (item 4 above), the correspondence address and telephone numbers for this application are:

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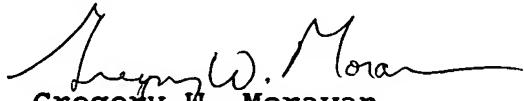
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Please call me at my above office number should you have a question regarding the filing of the above Application.

Sincerely,



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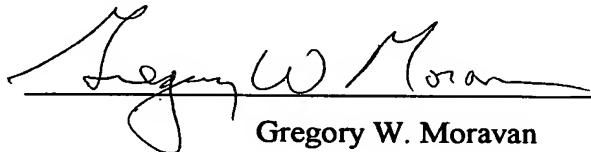
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